

- B1
- (l) A R L C L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 92-96)
  - (m) A R C L; (SEQ ID NO: 12)
  - (n) M F A R L I L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 263-269)
  - (o) F A R L I L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 264-269)
  - (p) F A R L I; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 264-268)
  - (q) F A R L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 264-267)
  - (r) H A R L I F; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 292-297)
  - (s) A R L I F; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 293-297),

and homologs thereof.

- B2
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6. (Amended) An isolated peptide ~~comprising~~ <sup>consisting of</sup> the amino acid sequence H A R L (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 292-295), and between one and 25 additional amino acids flanking either the 3' or 5' end of the peptide.
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23. (Amended) An isolated mimetic of a peptide having an amino acid sequence selected from the group consisting of:

- P3
- (a) H H A R L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 291-295)
  - (b) H A R L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 292-295)
  - (c) H A R L I; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 292-296)
  - (d) H A R L I L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 46-51)
  - (e) H H A R L C L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 90-96)
  - (f) A R L I L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 47-51)
  - (g) H H A R L I F; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 291-297)
  - (h) T H A R L I L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 45-51)
  - (i) A R L I; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 47-50)
  - (j) A R L;
  - (k) H A R L C L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 91-96)
  - (l) A R L C L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 92-96)
  - (m) A R C L; (SEQ ID NO: 12)
  - (n) M F A R L I L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 263-269)
  - (o) F A R L I L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 264-269)
  - (p) F A R L I; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 264-268)
  - (q) F A R L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 264-267)

- B3*  
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- (r) H A R L I F; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 292-297)  
(s) A R L I F; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 293-297),  
and homologs of such amino acid sequences.

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25. (Amended) An isolated mimetic of a peptide having an amino acid sequence selected from the group consisting of:

- B4*
- (a) A R L I; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 47-50)  
(b) H A R L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 91-94)  
(c) F A R L; (portion of SEQ ID NO: 2, residues 264-267)  
(d) A R L, and  
(e) A R L C; (SEQ ID NO: 12),

wherein the peptide comprises at least one and up to 25 additional amino acids flanking either the 3' or 5' end of the peptide.

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